

## Media Advisory Maryland National Guard



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**Who:** Father Tom Carter the Pastor of The Church of Nativity is conducting a

Military Appreciation service this Sunday and will sign a memorandum of

understanding with the Maryland National Guard.

**What:** The memorandum of understanding is to establish the Partners in Care, a

voluntary relationship between the faith communities and the Maryland National Guard. The purpose of this agreement is to provide faith-based support to those members of the Maryland National Guard and their

families upon request.

**Where:** The Church of the Nativity

419 Cedarcroft Road Baltimore, Md. 21212

**When:** April 24, 2005

11a.m. to Noon

**Why:** The congregation has agreed that support will be afforded to all Maryland

National Guard members and families equally and without discrimination or regard to their religious beliefs. The congregation will designate points of contact and a list of supportive services available for Maryland National Guard members and their families. This service will be free of charge and at no obligation to the participants. The Maryland National Guard shall provide periodic training seminars related to this initiative for the Partners

in Care volunteers.

**Visuals:** The media is welcome to film and interview the service.

**Directions:** Jones Falls Expressway /I-83 N. 5.6 miles:

Take the NORTHERN PARKWAY EAST exit- EXIT 10A. 0.2 miles:

Merge onto W NORTHERN PKWY. 2.1 miles: Turn LEFT onto MD-45/YORK RD. 0.2 miles: Turn LEFT onto CEDARCROFT RD. 0.1 miles: